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RESPONSE TO NOTIFICATION OF MISSING REQUIREMENTS

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Sir:

Receipt of the Notification of Missing Requirements under 35 U.S.C. 371 mailed November 2, 2001 (copy enclosed) is acknowledged. The Notification takes the position that the text in the drawings has not been properly translated into English. Reconsideration of this position is respectfully requested. The text in the drawings, e.g., Figures 6 -12, is intended to be non-English to illustrate portions of the invention. See the specification as a whole. Thus, translation of the text in the drawings is inappropriate. It is also noted that the original PCT application including figures was filed in Australia, further indicating that an English translation is unnecessary.

Therefore, the application as originally filed was in English and a translation of the text in the drawings would be inappropriate. In view of the foregoing, reconsideration of the Notification of Missing Requirements is respectfully requested, and early examination of the merits is requested.

Should there be any questions, the Examiner is invited to contact the undersigned attorney at 202-624-3913. The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any additional fees or credit any overpayment to Deposit Account 50-1682.

Respectfully submitted,



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- U.S. Basic National Fees
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- Copy of the International Application
- Copy of the International Search Report
- Oath or Declaration
- Preliminary Amendments
- Request for Immediate Examination

The following items **MUST** be furnished within the period set forth below in order to complete the requirements for acceptance under 35 U.S.C. 371:

- Translation of the application into English. The current translation of the application into English is defective as described below.
 - The text in the drawings has not been properly translated.
- Processing fee for providing the translation of the application and/or the Annexes later than the appropriate 30 months from the priority date (37 CFR 1.492(f)).

ALL OF THE ITEMS SET FORTH ABOVE MUST BE SUBMITTED WITHIN TWO (2) MONTH FROM THE DATE OF THIS NOTICE OR BY 22 or 32 MONTHS (where 37 CFR 1.495 applies) FROM THE PRIORITY DATE FOR THE APPLICATION, WHICHEVER IS LATER. FAILURE TO PROPERLY RESPOND WILL RESULT IN ABANDONMENT.

The time period set above may be extended by filing a petition and fee for extension of time under the provisions

of 37 CFR 1.136(a).

SUMMARY OF FEES DUE:

Total additional fees required for this application is **\$130** for a Small Entity:

- **\$130** for English translation surcharge required.

Applicant is reminded that any communications to the United States Patent and Trademark Office must be mailed to the address given in the heading and include the U.S. application no. shown above (37 CFR 1.5)

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